

New Mexico - FY 2005 Ranking Criteria Worksheet - Windbreaks

Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Farm No: _____ Tract No: _____

CMS Field No's. _____

1. Resources Concern - 300 Potential Points

Potential points will be multiplied by one of the following factors: 1 for one row of trees, 2 for multiple rows of trees of the same species, or 3 for multiple rows of trees composed of multiple species.

Potential Points	Factor	Points
Soil Erosion: Wind		
Protect farmstead from soil erosion originating on adjacent cropland or rangeland.	30	
Protect cropland/public road.	15	
Air Quality: Undesirable Air Movement		
Windbreak barrier around AFO/CAFO.	5	
Animal Wildlife: Inadequate Cover/Shelter		
Establish food/cover for targeted wildlife species.	30	
Animal Wildlife: Inadequate Water		
Wildlife water facilities.	10	
Animal Domestic: Inadequate Shelter		
Protect livestock or livestock facilities.	10	
Total		

2. Other Considerations - 30 Potential Points

Potential Points	Benchmark Points	After Points
A. At risk species are in the area and the contract will enhance habitat for the species.	10	
B. Treatment of this land could have a beneficial impact on a 303d listed stream segment.	5	
C. Treatment of this land could enhance the benefits of an active sec. 319 project.	10	
D. This land is within a NMED designated Category I watershed.	5	
2. Other Considerations	Total	

Totat Points for Worksheet:

Designated Conservationist _____

Date _____